

long distance. In really serious cases the animals are kept in the dressing shed.

(c) Yes.

(d) Yes. The question of constructing a building with in-patient accommodation, etc., was considered, but was put off. It will be taken up for consideration again as funds permit.

Raising of the Primary School, Pattancheri, to a Lower Secondary School.

108. Mr. K. G. Nayar.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) how many schools, both aided and Sirkar, are there at Pattancheri in Chittur Taluk];

(b) which is the nearest Lower Secondary School and Higher Secondary School for the boys and girls in that village;

(c) is there not sufficient scope for raising the present Primary School to a Lower Secondary one;

(d) what is the approximate number of pupils from that village studying in the adjacent Secondary Schools at Chittur and Tattamangalam;

(e) whether there are not Secondary schools in other parts of the State within a distance of one or two miles from each other?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—(a) Only one Sirkar Vernacular Primary School.

(b) Sealy Memorial Lower Secondary School, Tattamangalam, High School, Chittur, and V. G. School, Chittur.

(c) Not as judged by strength alone.

(d) 1. High School, Chittur 12 boys.
2. V. G. School, Chittur 2 girls.
3. S. M. School, Tattamangalam 48 boys.

(e) Yes.

Water supply in the Central Jail.

109. Mr. K. G. Nayar.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) what is the means of water supply at the Central Jail;

(b) are the wells dried up during the months of Makaram, Kumbham, Meenam and Medam;

(c) from what distance is water supplied now and how;

(d) are not prisoners inconvenienced for want of adequate water supply;

(e) what remedies have the Government in view to improve the situation?